

## REMARKS

Claims 1-17, 19, 20, 22-28, and 30-58 were pending in the present Application. Applicants appreciate the indication that Claims 1-17, 22, 23, 26, 27, 30, 31, and 34-38 stand allowed.

Claims 20, 24, 25, 28, 32, and 33 have been cancelled, leaving allowed claims 1-17, 22, 23, 26, 27, 30, 31, and 34-38 pending in the present application.

Reconsideration and allowance of the claims are respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

### Claim Rejection under 35 USC 112

The rejection of Claims 20, 24, 25, 28, 32, and 33 under 35 USC 112, second paragraph has been rendered moot in view of the cancellation thereof.

It is believed that the foregoing amendments and remarks fully comply with the Office Action and that the claims herein should now be allowable to Applicants. Accordingly, reconsideration and allowance are requested.

If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

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